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SUBJECT: MBFR GUIDELINES

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1. IN ANTICIPATION OF COUNCIL DISCUSSION MAY 30, I RAISED THE QUESTION OF MBFR GUIDELINES AT PERMREPS LUNCH MAY 29 AND ASKED WHETHER NEW INSTRUCTIONS HAD BEEN RECEIVED TO ENABLE SPC TO PROVIDE A CLEAN DRAFT FOR COUNCIL TO WORK ON.
2. FROM THE COMMENTS, IT APPEARED THAT THERE ARE NO ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS, BUT THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT ON THE IMPORTANCE OF CONTINUING TO WORK ON MBFR GENERALLY AND ALSO TO GET SOMETHING THAT AMBASSADOR CAN PROVIDE THEIR GOVERNMENTS FOR DISCUSSION AT THE MINISTERIAL. KRAPPF INDICATED THAT FRG IS NOT QUITE READY BUT IS MAKING PROGRESS INTERNALLY IN DEVELOPING A POSITION ON KEY MBFR QUESTIONS.
3. I STRESSED THE DESIRABILITY OF USING THE SYG' S COVER NOTE TO IDENTIFY MAJOR ISSUES AND THUS TO PRODUCE A ROUGH OUTLINE OF AN ACCEPTABLE OUTCOME. TO THE EXTENT AGREED, THIS WOULD PROVIDE A GOOD BASIS FOR MINISTERIAL
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